

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) A computer system coupled to work stations operated by remote clients comprising:

an object server container within the system, the container having a plurality of server objects relating to specific, respective servers;

means for providing access to the server objects from the remote clients, said means including a protocol adapter framework for supporting an appropriate arbitrary protocol between the clients and the server objects, the protocol adapter being ~~operable~~ responsive to ~~translate~~ client requests in said arbitrary protocol to derive therefrom into method requests on an object residing within an object server.

2. (Previously presented) A computer system as defined in claim 1, in which the plurality of server objects relate to at least a video server and a web server.

3. (Currently amended) A computer system as defined in claim 1, in which at least one of the client-work stations includes a web browser and a video player.

4. (Previously presented) A computer system as defined in claim 1, in which the protocol adapter framework includes an HTTP adapter.

5. (Previously presented) A computer system as defined in claim 1, in which the protocol adapter framework includes a video protocol adapter.

6-9. (Canceled)
